

EXHIBIT 2

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK**

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MICHAEL KANE, et al.,		:	
	Plaintiffs,	:	
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- against -		:	Case No. 21-cv-7863 (VEC) (Lead)
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DE BLASIO et al.,		:	
	Defendants.	:	
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MATTHEW KEIL, et al.		:	
	Plaintiffs,	:	
		:	
- against -		:	Case No. 21-cv-8773 (VEC)
		:	
THE CITY OF NEW YORK et al.,		:	
	Defendants.	:	
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DECLARATION OF DENNIS STRK

Dennis Strk declares as follows, pursuant to 28 U.S.C. § 1746:

1. My name is Dennis Strk and I am plaintiff in the above-referenced case.
2. I respectfully submit this Declaration in support of Plaintiffs' Motion for a Preliminary Injunction.
3. I know the facts stated herein to be true based upon my personal knowledge, except for statements which are made on information and belief and, as to those, I verily believe them.

4. I was terminated from the New York City Department of Education because I cannot comply with the vaccination mandate, as it would violate my sincerely held religious beliefs.
5. Attached as Exhibit A is a true and correct redacted screenshot of my payroll portal page. Plainly visible on the screenshot is a problem code, indicated by a “Problem PR” notation in my salary history tab.

Dated: New York, New York
June 3, 2022

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Dennis Strk', written over a horizontal line.

By: Dennis Strk

EXHIBIT A

Employee Self Service: Payroll Register

Salary History

Employee 1

SSN ***-**-****

Name STRK...

Pay Cycle 742 (

Salary History

Equate Date [12 31 9999](#)

Prior Equate Date [01 28 2008](#)

Certified YES

Rating NOT APPLICABLE

Problem PR

Title	Pay C.	Pay Rate	Sal Cd	Effective Date	Expire Date	Salary T.	Date Changed
TRTRQ	S		UA8H	10-15-2021	02-17-2022	BASE	02-18-22
TRTRQ	S		UA8H	05-14-2021	10-14-2021	BASE	10-16-21
TRTRQ	S		UA8H	02-05-2021	05-13-2021	BASE	05-13-21
TRTRQ	S		UA8D	05-14-2020	02-04-2021	BASE	02-17-21
TRTRQ	S		UA8D	02-14-2019	05-13-2020	BASE	05-01-20
TRTRQ	S		UA8D	06-16-2018	02-13-2019	BASE	02-06-19
TRTRQ	S		UA8D	05-01-2018	06-15-2018	BASE	05-16-18
TRTRQ	S		UA8D	02-05-2018	04-30-2018	BASE	05-01-18
TRTRQ	S		UA8W	05-01-2017	02-04-2018	BASE	02-14-18